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Port of Bellingham

Puget Sound's rivers and estuaries are among the most biologically prolific ecosystems in the world. Its shorelines define both the natural and built environment.

Since the Bellingham Bay Demonstration Pilot Project in 1996, the Port of Bellingham continues to work with federal, state, local, and tribal agencies to improve the environmental health of Bellingham Bay. They strive to clean up historic contamination, restore habitats and revitalize land uses.

In 2005, the Port of Bellingham acquired 137 acres of waterfront property and tidelands along Bellingham Bay. It was a site of a former paper pulp mill. When combined with other properties, the Waterfront District covers 237 acres.

Today the Port of Bellingham and the City of Bellingham are joining forces to transform the currently idle site into a thriving development. Their plans will generate jobs and new economic opportunities. The community will enjoy new parks, trails and access to the water.

LINK: [**Port of Bellingham Waterfront Redevelopment**](#)

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